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SUBJECT: EUROPEAN PARTICIPATION IN SPOKANE 1974 EXPOSITION

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1. THE AMBASSADOR CALLED ON STATE SECRETARY FRANK SEPTEMBER 4 AND GAVE HIM A COPY OF THE PAPER COMMISSIONER GENERAL HENDERSON HAD LEFT WITH STATE SECRETARY MOERSCH JULY 26. THE AMBASSADOR USED THE OCCASION TO EMPHASIZE THE IMPORTANCE WE ATTACH TO SPOKANE 1974 AND OUR WISH FOR AN EARLY POSITIVE FRG RESPONSE ON PARTICIPATION. THE AMBASSADOR MADE THE POINT THAT THE ABSENCE

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PATION. THE AMBASSADOR MADE THE POINT THAT THE ABSENCE

OF PRINCIPAL WEST EUROPEAN COUNTRIES FROM THE ONLY INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION TO BE HELD IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE BI-CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS WOULD NOT BE UNDERSTOOD IN THE US.

2. FRANK SAID HE APPRECIATED THE IMPORTANCE OF SPOKANE 1974--BUT HE MADE NO COMMITMENT RE FRG PARTICIPATION. HE ASKED ABOUT US PLANS FOR THE BI-CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS, SAYING THAT HE HAD ASKED FORMER AMBASSADOR KREKELER TO CO-ORDINATE GERMAN EFFORTS IN THAT CONNECTION. THE AMBASSADOR SUGGESTED THAT IT WOULD BE USEFUL FOR THE GERMAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON TO GET IN TOUCH WITH THE DEPARTMENT ON THE PREPARATIONS FOR THE BI-CENTENNIAL.

3. WE WILL FOLLOW UP AGAIN SHORTLY WITH THE GERMANS IN EFFORT TO GET A POSITIVE DECISION FROM THEM.
HILLENBRAND

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